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THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: T. KAWAHARA, et al.
Application No.: 09/932,099
Filed: August 20, 2001
For: SEMICONDUCTOR INCLUDING A PREDICTION CIRCUIT
TO CONTROL A POWER STATUS CONTROL CIRCUIT
WHICH CONTROLS THE POWER STATUS OF A FUNCTION
CIRCUIT
Art Unit: 2116
Examiner: T. W. Chen

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

December 20, 2005

Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, applicants hereby respectfully petition for an extension of time to permit filing of a Notice of Appeal within the third month subsequent to expiration of the shortened statutory period set in the outstanding final Office Action, dated June 20, 2005. (A Credit Card Authorization form is attached to cover the required fee of \$1,020.00 for the requested extension of time and the Notice of Appeal fee.)

It is respectfully requested that any shortage in fees be charged to the deposit account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Account No. 01-2135 (Dkt. 520.40524X00) and any excess fees credited to that account.

Very truly yours,
Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP


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